

**MINUTES OF THE COURT OF APPEAL  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
SECOND APPELLATE DISTRICT**

**June 18, 2002**

**DIVISION ONE**

B145678      Victoria Montano et al.      (Not for Publication)  
                 v.  
                 Steven Garcia

The order of the trial court granting respondents' motion for new trial is affirmed. Respondents are awarded their costs on appeal.

Rico, J. (Assigned)

We concur:    Spencer, P.J.  
                 Vogel (Miriam A.), J.

**DIVISION THREE**

Court convened at 9:30 A.M.

Present: Klein, P.J., Croskey, J., Kitching, J., Aldrich, J. and Valorie Gray, Deputy Clerk.

Each of the following:

B149939 People v. Hanold  
B150245 Children and Family Services v. Mechele T.  
B152940 People v. Williams  
B153424 People v. Steven J.  
B152518 People v. Martinez  
B151831 People v. Eric P.  
B152268 People v. Luis S.

Argument waived, cause submitted.

DIVISION THREE (Continued)

B150127     Gallagher  
                 v.  
                 Minorini

Merits:

Argued by John W. Fagerholm for appellant and by Tiffany Lorenzen for respondents. Cause submitted.

B144014     People  
                 v.  
                 First Federal Credit Corporation et al.

Merits:

Argued by David P. Lampkin for appellants and by Matthew G. Monforton and Dana Aratani, deputy district attorneys, for respondent. Supplemental brief of respondent due on June 25, 2002, reply of appellant due on July 2, 2002. Cause submitted.

B144016     People  
                 v.  
                 Moreno et al.

Merits:

Argued by Dan Mrotek for appellant Eduardo Monroy and by Michael Katz, deputy attorney general for respondent. Cause submitted.

B154092     Lujan  
                 v.  
                 Powerine Oil Company et al.

Merits:

Argued by Timothy J. Kolesnikow for appellant and by Carla J. Feldman and James E. Curry for respondents. Cause submitted.

DIVISION THREE (Continued)

B150674      Atlantic Mutual Insurance  
                 v.  
                 J. Lamb, Inc., et al.

Merits:  
Argued by Surjit P. Soni for appellant and by Gwen Freeman and Todd W. Baxter for respondents. Cause submitted.

B151708      Atlantic Mutual Insurance  
                 v.  
                 J. Lamb, Inc., et al.

Merits:  
Argued by Todd W. Baxter for appellant and by Gwen Freeman and Surjit P. Soni for respondents. Cause submitted.

Court recessed at 12:30 P.M.

Court reconvened at 1:45 P.M.

Klein, P.J., Croskey, J., Kitching, J., Aldrich, J. and Valorie Gray, Deputy Clerk.

B148468      DeMaci  
                 v.  
                 Fredrics et al.

Merits:  
Argued by Bruce Ward Atwell for appellant and by Scott F. Craig for respondents. Cause submitted.

B152019      People  
                 v.  
                 DeLong

Merits:  
Argued by Murray A. Rosenberg for appellant and by Marc J. Nolan, deputy attorney general, for respondent. Cause submitted.

DIVISION THREE (Continued)

B154951     People  
              v.  
              Harkins

Merits:

Argued by Jerald W. Newton for appellant and by Timothy Weiner, deputy attorney general, for respondent. Cause submitted.

B148630     Kessing  
              v.  
              Orbit Productions et al.

Merits:

Argued by Rick Deetman for appellant and by William D. Anthony for respondents. Cause submitted.

B152615     Cohen  
              v.  
              Mizrahi et al.

Appearances:

Hamid Soleimanian for respondents and by Davoud Cohen, appellant in propria persona. Argument waived, cause submitted.

B151296     Cundiff et al.  
              v.  
              Bell Atlantic Corporation et al.

Merits:

Argued by Marc Coleman for appellants and by Henry Weissman for respondents. Cause submitted.

Court adjourned at 3:20 P.M.

DIVISION FOUR

B151329      Ravinder Risam                      (Certified for Publication)

v.  
County of Los Angeles

The judgment is affirmed.

Vogel (C.S.), P.J.

We concur:   Epstein, J.  
                     Hastings, J.

B123992      Howard Jarvis Taxpayers Association

v.  
Kathleen Connell et al.

Filed orders denying petitions for rehearing filed by California Union of  
Safety Employees et al., California State Employees Association, and  
Kathleen Connell.

B137441      People                                      (Not for Publication)

v.  
Johnson

The judgment is affirmed. The abstract of judgment is ordered corrected to  
conform to the oral judgment pronounced as to counts 25, 26, and 27 by  
striking imposition of enhancements pursuant to section 12022, subdivision  
(a).

Epstein, J.

We concur:   Vogel (C.S.), P.J.  
                     Hastings, J.

## DIVISION FOUR (Continued)

B141120 People (Not for Publication)  
v.  
Vandervall

The judgment is affirmed.

Curry, J.

We concur: Epstein, Acting P.J.  
Hastings, J.

B147737 People (Not for Publication)  
v.  
Cotton

The judgment is affirmed.

Epstein, J.

We concur: Vogel (C.S.), P.J.  
Hastings, J.

B150119 Frank Burt Kreitman Trust et al.  
v.  
Jeffrey Kreitman et al.

Filed order denying petition for rehearing.

DIVISION SIX

B151015 People (Not for Publication)  
v.  
Sherman

The judgment is affirmed.

Perren, J.

We concur:    Gilbert, P.J.  
                         Coffee, J.

DIVISION SIX (Continued)

B152040      Martignoni                      (Not for Publication)  
                 v.  
                 Sullivan

The order dismissing the civil complaint is affirmed. Costs to respondent.

Perren, J.

We concur:   Yegan, Acting P.J.  
                 Coffee, J.

B151574      People                                      (Not for Publication)  
                 v.  
                 Accredited Surety & Casualty Co., et al.

The summary judgment and the orders denying appellants' motions are affirmed. Costs on appeal are awarded to respondent.

Yegan, J.

We concur:   Gilbert, P.J.  
                 Coffee, J.

B153083      People                                      (Not for Publication)  
                 v.  
                 Covarrubias

The judgment is affirmed.

Yegan, Acting P.J.

We concur:   Coffee, J.  
                 Perren, J.

DIVISION SIX (Continued)

B153561 People (Not for Publication)  
v.  
Cortez

The order under review is affirmed.

Coffee, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.  
Yegan, J.

B150329 County of Santa Barbara (Not for Publication)  
v.  
Sutti

The judgment is affirmed. Sutti is awarded costs on appeal.

Yegan, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.  
Perren, J.

B155538 People (Not for Publication)  
v.  
Edwards

The judgment (order of commitment) is affirmed.

Yegan, J.

We concur: Gilbert, P.J.  
Perren, J.

B153697 People  
v.  
McMillan

Filed order modifying opinion. Petition for rehearing is denied. (No change in the judgment)



DIVISION EIGHT

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The HONORABLE ORVILLE A. ARMSTRONG, Associate Justice of the Court of Appeal, Second Appellate District, Division Five, is hereby assigned to assist the Court of Appeal, Second Appellate District, Division Eight, as a Justice thereof, on the following dates:

June 27, 2002

and until completion and disposition of all causes and matters submitted pursuant to this assignment including, if necessary by reason of a vacancy or disqualification of a Court of Appeal justice, all petitions for rehearing arising out of such causes and matters.

This assignment does not extend to any matter in which the panel would be composed of two justices pro tempore.

Dated: May 16, 2002

Ronald M. George  
Chief Justice of California and  
Chairperson of the Judicial Council